IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

CRIMINAL APPELLATE JURISDICTION

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.1426 OF 2007

Suraj Kisan Chougule. ...Applicant.

Versus

The State of Maharashtra ...Respondent.

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Mr.S.S.Suryawanshi, Adv. for the Applicant.
Mr.V.B.Konde-Deshmukh, APP, for the State.

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CORAM : SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.

DATED : 30th April, 2007.

P.C.:

1. Heard the learned Advocate for the Applicant and the learned APP for the State.

2. The applicant is seeking bail in C.R.No.237 of 2006 of Dehuroad Police Station, Pune. The said case is under Sections 420, 467, 468 of IPC.

3. It is an admitted fact that the main accused has been released on bail. The case of the applicant stands on a better footing than the main accused. It is not the prosecution case that the applicant is likely to abscond or threaten the prosecution witnesses.

4. In this view of the matter, I am inclined to grant bail to the applicant.

5. The applicant - Suraj Kisan Chougule to be released on bail in the sum of Rs.20,000/- with one or two sureties to make up the said amount. The applicant shall report to Dehuroad Police Station once in a week, till conclusion of the trial.

6. Application is disposed of accordingly.

(SMT.V.K.TAHILRAMANI,J.)